



## STATE OF WISCONSIN – JUDICIAL COUNCIL

### AMENDED MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WISCONSIN JUDICIAL COUNCIL MADISON, WISCONSIN June 18, 2021

The Judicial Council met at 9:30 a.m. on June 18, 2021 in the Senate Parlor at the Capitol.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Chair William Gleisner; Judge Eugene Gasiorkiewicz (by phone); Judge Thomas Hruz; Judge Hannah Dugan; Judge Scott Needham; Judge VanDeHey; Sarah Barber; Diane Fremgen; Christian Gossett; Margo Kirchner (by phone); Dennis Myers; John Orton; Adam Plotkin; Ron Tusler (by phone); Tom Shriner (by phone); Sarah Zylstra; and Senator Van Wanggaard.

**SPECIAL GUESTS:** Chief Justice Annette Ziegler; Justice Rebecca Dallet; Justice Brian Hagedorn; Justice Jill Karofsky; Judge Brian Blanchard; Kathy Brost (State Bar); Cheryl Daniels (State Bar); Larry Martin (State Bar); Scott Kelly (Office of Senator Wanggaard); Steven Kilpatrick; Lynne Davis (State Bar); Tom Bertz, Sr.; Tom Bertz, Jr.; Rebecca Rapp.

A social meeting was conducted for just under two hours. A business meeting was thereafter held and several votes were taken. First, there was a reaffirmation of the vote to refer the restyling of the Wisconsin Rules of Evidence to the Evidence and Civil Procedure Committee, which passed unanimously. This vote was necessary because when the first effort to refer this matter to the Committee was done at the May 21, 2021. It was later determined that there was not a quorum present for that meeting, and thus the revote at the June 18<sup>th</sup> meeting. The minutes of the May 21, 2021 defective meeting are attached as Exhibit A because they contain the substance of the discussion as to the restyling issue.

Second, because there was not a quorum at the May 21<sup>st</sup> meeting, the attempted approval of the April 16, 2021 minutes was also defective. Therefore, the minutes of the April 16, 2021 meeting were likewise approved.

The third vote was a unanimous vote to re-elect William Gleisner as Chair of the Council and John Orton as Vice Chair of the Council.

The business meeting concluded just before noon.